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LABOR MARKET REVIEW

### **Economic Growth Region 3**

Statistical Data Report for June 2014, Released July 2014

### Regional and State Unemployment (seasonally adjusted)

Regional and state unemployment rates were generally little changed in June. Twenty-two states and the District of Columbia had unemployment rate decreases from May, 14 states had increases, and 14 states had no change, the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics reported. Forty-nine states and the District of Columbia had unemployment rate decreases from a year earlier and one state had an increase. The national jobless rate declined to 6.1 percent from May and was 1.4 percentage points lower than in June 2013.

Mississippi and Rhode Island had the highest unemployment rates among the states in June, 7.9 percent each. North Dakota again had the lowest jobless rate, 2.7 percent. In total, 17 states had unemployment rates significantly lower than the U.S. figure of 6.1 percent, eight states and the District of Columbia had measurably higher rates, and 25 states had rates that were not appreciably different from that of the nation.

June 2014 Labor Force Estimates (not seasonally adjusted)							
Area	Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Jun 2014 Rate	May 2014 Rate	Jun 2013 Rate	
U.S.	156,997,000	147,104,000	9,893,000	6.3%	6.1%	7.8%	
IN	3,268,950	3,068,537	200,413	6.1%	5.8%	7.9%	
EGR 3	376,356	354,853	21,503	5.7%	5.3%	7.6%	
Fort Wayne MSA	214,298	202,367	11,931	5.6%	5.2%	7.5%	
Adams Co.	15,358	14,547	811	5.3%	4.8%	6.8%	
Allen Co.	182,491	172,092	10,399	5.7%	5.3%	7.6%	
DeKalb Co.	21,211	20,067	1,144	5.4%	5.1%	7.6%	
Grant Co.	32,410	30,008	2,402	7.4%	6.6%	9.4%	
Huntington Co.	19,316	18,223	1,093	5.7%	5.1%	7.7%	
Lagrange Co.	17,429	16,545	884	5.1%	4.5%	6.6%	
Noble Co.	22,696	21,426	1,270	5.6%	5.1%	7.9%	
Steuben Co.	17,610	16,583	1,027	5.8%	5.5%	7.7%	
Wabash Co.	16,028	15,087	941	5.9%	5.4%	7.9%	
Wells Co.	14,166	13,500	666	4.7%	4.6%	6.8%	
Whitley Co.	17,641	16,775	866	4.9%	4.8%	7.0%	
Fort Wayne	126,408	118,829	7,579	6.0%	5.6%	8.0%	
Marion	12,789	11,640	1,149	9.0%	8.2%	11.2%	

State Release Date: 7/18/2014

Source: Indiana Dept of Workforce Development, Research and Analysis, Local Area Unemployment Statistics



## **Economic Growth Region** (EGR) 3

Adams, Allen, DeKalb, Grant, Huntington, Lagrange, Noble, Steuben, Wabash, Wells, and Whitley Counties.

# **Unemployment Rates by State, June 2014**

(seasonally adjusted)

U.S - 6.1%

Illinois - 7.1%

**Indiana - 5.9%** 

Kentucky - 7.4%

Michigan - 7.5%

Ohio - 5.5%

Source: U.S. Department of Labor, U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics

# Unemployment Rank by County, June 2014

(high to low)

#10 - Grant - 7.4%

#47 - Wabash - 5.9%

#50 - Steuben 5.8%

#51 - Allen - 5.7%

#52 - Hungtington - 5.7%

#60 - Noble - 5.6%

#65 - DeKalb - 5.4%

#68 - Adams - 5.3%

#79 - LaGrange - 5.1%

#85 - Whitley - 4.9%

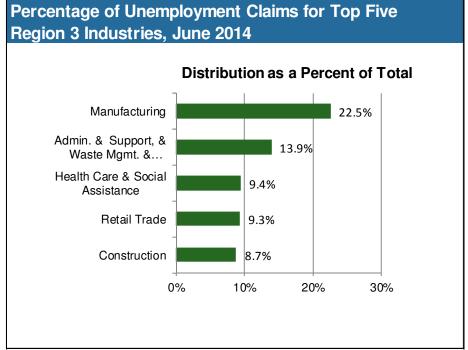
#89 - Wells - 4.7%

Source: Indiana Dept. of Workforce Development, Research and Analysis, Local Area Unemployment Statistics

Consumer Price Index (CPI-U Change), Unadjusted Percent Change to June 2014 from:							
CPI Item	Jun-13	May-14	Jun-13	May-14			
	Midwest Region*		U.S.	City			
All Items	1.7%	0.5%	2.1%	0.2%			
Food & Beverages	2.4%	0.1%	2.2%	0.0%			
Housing	2.2%	0.8%	2.6%	0.5%			
Apparel	2.9%	-1.2%	0.9%	-1.3%			
Transportation	-0.1%	0.9%	1.6%	0.1%			
Medical Care	3.4%	0.1%	2.6%	0.1%			
Recreation	-0.6%	-0.4%	0.5%	0.0%			
Education & Communication	2.2%	0.0%	1.6%	0.0%			
Other Goods & Services	2.2%	0.2%	1.9%	0.2%			

<sup>\*</sup>Midwest region = Midwest Urban Average. Midwest Region includes Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Michigan, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska, North Dakota, Ohio, South Dakota and Wisconsin

Source: U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics



Source: Indiana Dept of Workforce Development, Research and Analysis, UI Statistics

#### **WARN Notices**

WARN Notices for Region 3 - June 2014						
			Affected			
Company	City	County	Workers	Notice Date		
Parkview Health-Parkview Oaks and Parkview Pointe Assisted Living Facilities	Columbia City	Whitley	52	6/17/2014		

Source: Indiana Dept of Workforce Development, WARN Notices

For information on WARN Act requirements, you may go to the U.S. Department of Labor Employment Training Administration Fact Sheet: http://www.doleta.gov/programs/factsht/warn.htm

### Unemployment Claims, June 2014

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June 7th 2014 – 410 June 14th 2014 – 355 (D) June 21st 2014 – 390 (D) June 28th 2014 – 368

#### **Continued Claims**

June 7th 2014 – 2578 June 14th 2014 – 2541 June 21st 2014 – 2546 June 28th 2014 – 2508

#### **Total Claims**

June 7th 2014 – 2988 June 14th 2014 – 2896 June 21st 2014 – 2936 June 28th 2014 – 2876

D' indicates item is affected by nondisclosure issues relating to industry or ownership status.

#### State of Indiana

June 7th 2014 – 4039 June 14th 2014 – 3653 June 21st 2014 – 3833 June 28th 2014 – 3676

#### **Continued Claims**

June 7th 2014 – 27754 June 14th 2014 – 27349 June 21st 2014 – 27309 June 28th 2014 – 26489

#### **Total Claims**

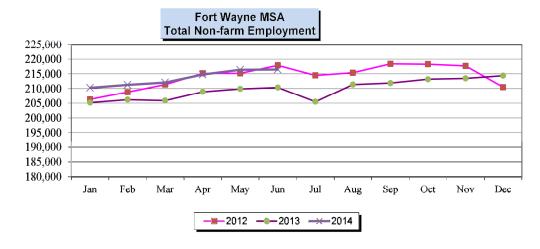
June 7th 2014 – 31793 June 14th 2014 – 31002 June 21st 2014 – 31142 June 28th 2014 – 30165

Total claims include EUC (Emergency Unemployment Compensation) and EB (State Extended Benefits).

Source: Indiana Dept of Workforce Development, Research and Analysis

Fort Wayne MSA Wage and Salaried Employment, June 2014								
				I I	Percent			
					Change			
Industry	Jun-14	May-14	Jun-13	May-14 t	to Jun-14	Jun-13 t	o Jun-14	
Total Nonfarm	216,500	216,400	209,600	100	0.1%	6,900	3.3%	
Employment						Ĺ		
Total Private Employment	195,200	194,600	189,200	600	0.3%	6,000	3.2%	
Goods Producing	44,900	44,300	43,600	600	1.4%	1,300	3.0%	
Service Providing	171,600	172,100	166,000	-500	<b>-0.3%</b>	5,600	3.4%	
Private Service Providing	150,300	150,300	145,600	0	0.0%	4,700	3.2%	
- Mining, Logging and Construction	9,400	9,100	9,800	300	3.3%	-400	-4.1%	
- Manufacturing	35,500	35,200	33,800	300	0.9%	1,700	5.0%	
Durable Goods	26,600	26,300	24,700	300	1.1%	1,900	7.7%	
Computer and Electronic Product Manufacturing	4,000	4,000	4,000	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	
Transportation Equipment Manufacturing	7,300	7,200	6,100	100	1.4%	1,200	19.7%	
<ul> <li>Trade, Transportation and Utilities</li> </ul>	42,400	42,300	42,300	100	0.2%	100	0.2%	
Wholesale Trade	10,900	10,800	10,900	100	0.9%	0	0.0%	
Retail Trade	22,000	22,200	22,100	-200	-0.9%	-100	-0.5%	
Transportation, Warehousing and Utilities	9,500	9,300	9,300	200	2.2%	200	2.2%	
- Information	3,300	3,200	3,200	100	3.1%	100	3.1%	
- Financial Activities	11,800	11,700	11,800	100	0.9%	0	0.0%	
<ul> <li>Professional and Business Services</li> </ul>	22,900	22,900	20,700	0	0.0%	2,200	10.6%	
- Education and Health Services	38,100	38,600	36,700	-500	-1.3%	1,400	3.8%	
- Leisure and Hospitality	20,300	20,300	20,400	0	0.0%	-100	-0.5%	
- Other Services	11,500	11,300	10,500	200	1.8%	1,000	9.5%	
Government	21,300	21,800	20,400	-500	-2.3%	900	4.4%	
- Federal Government	2,000	1,900	2,000	100	5.3%	0	0.0%	
- State Government	3,100	3,500	3,200	-400	-11.4%	-100	-3.1%	
- Local Government	16,200	16,400	15,200	-200	-1.2%	1,000	6.6%	
Local Government Educational Services	9,100	9,600	8,400	-500	-5.2%	700	8.3%	

Source: Indiana Dept of Workforce Development, Research and Analysis, Current Employment Statistics



#### **Applicant Pool**

Top 20 Occupations Desired by Active Applicants on Their Resumes in the Past 12 Months

- 1 Production Workers, All Other - 738
- 2 Customer ServiceRepresentatives 579
- 3 Assemblers and Fabricators, All Other - 518
- 4 Helpers--Production Workers - 330
- 5 Office Clerks, General 295
- 6 Laborers and Freight, Stock, and Material Movers, Hand - 292
- 7 Administrative ServicesManagers 239
- 8 Cashiers 238
- 9 Managers, All Other 222
- 10 Stock Clerks- Stockroom, Warehouse, or Storage Yard - 175
- 11 Bookkeeping, Accounting, and Auditing Clerks 161
- 12 First-Line Supervisors of Production and Operating Workers - 161
- 13 Executive Secretaries and Executive Administrative Assistants 142
- 14 Accountants 140
- 15 Office and Administrative Support Workers, All Other136
- 16 Nursing Assistants 129
- 17 Maintenance and Repair Workers, General 121
- 18 Retail Salespersons 121
- 19 Shipping, Receiving, and Traffic Clerks 121
- 20 Receptionists and Information Clerks 120

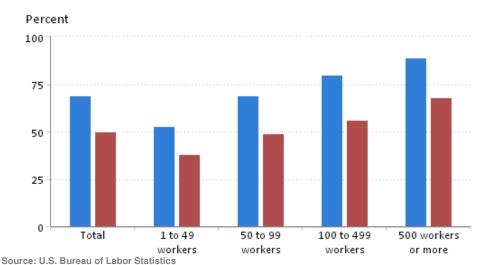
Source: Indiana Dept. of Workforce Development, Indiana Career Connect

# Larger Establishments More Likely than Smaller Establishments to Offer Medical Care Benefits

(Excerpted from the U.S. Dept. of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics, The Editor's Desk — July 29, 2014)

Employer-provided medical care benefits were available to 69 percent of private-industry workers in the United States in March 2014. Availability of medical care benefits varied by establishment size; 53 percent of workers in establishments with fewer than 50 employees were offered medical care benefits, compared with 89 percent of workers in establishments with 500 employees or more.

Percentage of private-industry employees offered and participating in employer medical care benefits, by establishment size, March 2014



🌉 Employer offers medical plan 📕 Employee participates in plan

Not all private-industry workers who are offered medical care benefits choose to participate in their employer's plan. Among workers in establishments with 500 employees or more who were offered medical care benefits, 77 percent chose to participate in an employer's plan in March 2014. That compares with a take-up rate of 71 percent of workers in establishments with fewer than 500 employees.

The percentage of workers offered medical care benefits, combined with the percentage who accepted the offer, means that 50 percent of private-industry workers participated in employer-provided medical care benefits in March 2014. As with the availability rates, the participation rates varied by establishment size.

Among private-industry workers who participated in an employer-provided medical care plan in March 2014, employers paid an average of 79 percent of the plan premium for single coverage and 68 percent of the premium for family coverage. The average employer share of the premium payment for single coverage varied little by establishment size. For family coverage, larger establishments paid a higher average share of the premium.

These data are from the National Compensation Survey – Benefits program. To learn more, see "Employee Benefits in the United States — March 2014," news release USDL-14-1348.

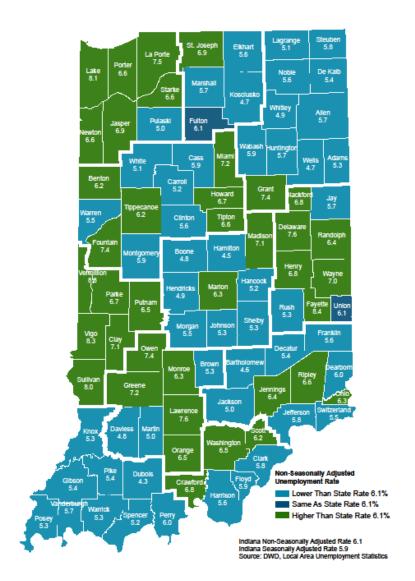
#### **Frequently Listed Jobs**

Top 20 Job listings by number of openings in Region 3 for the month of June 2014

- 1 Helpers--Production Workers
- 2 Team Assemblers
- 3 Inspectors, Testers, Sorters, Samplers, and Weighers
- 4 Heavy and Tractor-Trailer Truck Drivers
- 5 Laborers and Freight, Stock, and Material Movers, Hand
- 6 Computer-Controlled Machine Tool Operators, Metal and Plastic
- 7 Plumbers
- 8 Personal Care Aides
- 9 Shipping, Receiving, and Traffic Clerks
- 10 Industrial Truck and Tractor Operators
- 11 Maintenance and Repair Workers, General
- 12 Home Health Aides
- 13 Woodworking Machine Setters, Operators, and Tenders, Except Sawing
- **14** Recreational Vehicle Service Technicians
- **15** Registered Nurses
- 16 Stock Clerks-Stockroom, Warehouse, or Storage Yard
- 17 Welders, Cutters, and Welder Fitters
- 18 Coating, Painting, and Spraying Machine Setters, Operators, and Tenders
- 19 Packers and Packagers, Hand
- 20 Retail Salespersons

Source: Indiana Department of Workforce Development, Indiana Career Connect

### **County Unemployment Rates June 2014**





#### Questions?

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